UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF SOUTH DAKOTA CENTRAL DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

3:22-CR-30086-RAL

Plaintiff.

3:14-CR-30074-RAL

VS.

SENTENCING SCHEDULING ORDER

VERNON ROBERT SCHMIDT, a/k/a Sonny Bob Schmidt,

Defendant.

Defendant Vernon Robert Schmidt appeared before Magistrate Judge Mark Moreno for a change of plea hearing on January 16, 2024. Judge Moreno issued a Report and Recommendation recommending that the Court accept Defendant's plea of guilty to Count 1 as alleged in the Indictment in 3:22-CR-30086, and has admitted the allegations in Paragraphs 1, 2, 3, 4, 7, and 11 of the Third Amended Petition to Revoke Supervised Release, Doc. 161, in 3:14-CR-30074 For good cause, it is hereby

ORDERED that this Court adopts the Report and Recommendation, Doc. 43 in 3:22-CR-30086, Doc. 171 in 3:14-CR-30074, the plea of guilty is accepted, and Defendant is adjudged guilty of Count 1 as alleged in the Indictment in 3:22-CR-30086, and accepts the admissions to the allegations in Paragraphs 1, 2, 3, 4, 7, and 11 of the Third Amended Petition to Revoke Supervised Release, Doc. 161, in 3:14-CR-30074. It is further

ORDERED that a combined modified presentence report be prepared and the draft shall be filed by the Probation Office in CM/ECF using the Draft Presentence Report event by March 4, 2024. It is further

ORDERED that any objection to the presentence report and notice of intent to seek a departure by either the Government or the Defendant shall be filed by counsel in CM/ECF using the Objections to Presentence Report event by March 18, 2024. If counsel has no objections to the presentence report, counsel should indicate such by using the Notice of No Objections to Presentence Report event. It is further

ORDERED that all letters of support shall be filed by counsel in CM/ECF using the Sealed Letter(s) of Support event by April 1, 2024. All letters of support shall be legibly scanned as one document and not scanned as separate documents. It is further

ORDERED that the final presentence report shall be filed by the Probation Office in CM/ECF using the Final Presentence Report event by April 1, 2024. An addendum setting forth any unresolved objections, the grounds for those objections, and the probation officer's comments on those objections shall also be filed in CM/ECF using the Addendum to Final Presentence Report event. It is further

ORDERED that any Sentencing Memorandum and Motion for Departure or Variance shall be filed in CM/ECF by April 8, 2024. It is further

ORDERED that the sentencing hearing and any necessary evidentiary hearing regarding sentencing shall be held on Monday, April 15, 2024, at 9:00 a.m., in the Courtroom of the U.S. Courthouse in Pierre, South Dakota.

DATED this 17th day of January, 2024.

BY THE COURT:

CHIEF JUDGE